

WESTERN AUSTRALIA
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 90

Wednesday, 31 October 2018

Questions appear according to the date on which notice was delivered.
When a question has been answered it is removed from the postponed list.

POSTPONED QUESTIONS

Notice Given **Tuesday, 11 September 2018**

1631. Hon Rick Mazza to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water; Fisheries; Forestry; Innovation and ICT; Science (*SO108(2) response – 16 October 2018*)

Notice Given **Tuesday, 18 September 2018**

1656. Hon Colin Holt to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming

Notice Given **Thursday, 20 September 2018**

1661. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training
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1664. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
1665. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport
1666. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
1667. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
1668. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Culture and the Arts
1669. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing; Veterans Issues; Youth
1670. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations
1671. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations

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1672. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training
1673. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection
1674. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services
1675. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment
1676. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training
1677. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training
1678. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General
1679. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police
1680. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training
1681. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer; Minister for Finance; Energy; Aboriginal Affairs
1682. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Commerce and Industrial Relations; Electoral Affairs; Asian Engagement
1683. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training

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1684. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Energy
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1686. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Energy
1687. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade

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1688. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development
1689. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
1690. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
1691. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations
1692. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning
1693. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development
1694. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport

Notice Given **Tuesday, 16 October 2018**

1695. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations
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1697. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
1698. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Commerce and Industrial Relations; Electoral Affairs; Asian Engagement
1699. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands
1700. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development
1701. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development
1702. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade

Notice Given **Wednesday, 17 October 2018**

1703. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training
1704. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
1705. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
1706. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

Notice Given **Thursday, 18 October 2018**

1707. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Mental Health
1708. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police
1709. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer; Minister for Finance; Energy; Aboriginal Affairs
1710. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General

Notice Given **Tuesday, 30 October 2018**

1711. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands
1712. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands
1713. Hon Robin Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Mental Health
1714. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
1715. Hon Jim Chown to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
1716. Hon Aaron Stonehouse to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
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- 1718. Hon Aaron Stonehouse to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
- 1719. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training
- 1720. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 1721. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Corrective Services
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QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

*Notice Given**Wednesday, 31 October 2018***1725. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development:**

I refer to the Broome Growth Plan and its proposed implementation, and ask:

- (a) when was the Broome Growth Plan instigated and by whom;
- (b) who has been responsible for the development of the Broome Growth Plan;
- (c) which government agencies and non-government organisations were involved in its development;
- (d) how much has the Western Australian Government spent on the Broome Growth Plan to date;
- (e) was the Broome Growth Plan advertised for public comment;
- (f) if yes to (e), when was it advertised, for how long and how many comments were received;
- (g) has the plan been finalised and released publicly;
- (h) if no to (g), why not;
- (i) can the Minister explain why the Broome Growth Plan website is no longer functioning;
- (j) has a decision been made as to how the Broome Growth Plan will be implemented and by whom;
- (k) if yes to (j), who made this decision and does it require endorsement by the Minister;
- (l) is the Minister aware that Broome Future Limited is a private company that was initially funded by oil and gas company Woodside, which pushed to industrialise the Kimberley coast at James Price Point with a gas processing factory;
- (m) is the Minister aware that Broome Future Limited refuses to publicly disclose who its members and funders are;
- (n) is the Minister aware that Foundation Membership of Broome Future costs \$50,000 per year according to its website;
- (o) is the Minister aware that Broome Future, according to its website, offers members: opportunities to influence the issues that Broome Future addresses and the focus of the analysis that it undertakes; opportunities to socialise with like-minded individuals to discuss and debate the future of Broome and the wider Kimberley region at Broome Future hosted events; and opportunity to review and comment on early drafts of Broome Future studies;
- (p) does the Minister believe that being a member of Broome Futures Limited offers members an unfair advantage over non-members when it comes to recommending decisions on the future growth of Broome; and
- (q) if no to (p), why not?

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Notice Given *Wednesday, 31 October 2018*

1726. Hon Rick Mazza to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:

- (1) How many reported snake bites have there been in the past five years in regional Western Australia?
- (2) How many of these snake bites resulted in the death of the patient?
- (3) How many snake bit victims required the Royal Flying Doctor Service due to no antivenin being available locally?

1727. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Mental Health:

- (1) I refer to Legislative Council question without notice No. 1030 in relation to annual medical assessments required for those 80 years of age and older, and I ask, will the Minister please table the *WA Health Patient Fees and Charges Manual 2018-19*?
- (2) What is the average time for WA Country Health Service (WACHS) to complete such an assessment?
- (3) What qualification is required to undertake the assessment?
- (4) What is the number of assessments undertaken by WACHS per annum and, if possible, by region?
- (5) How are patients informed of their ability to have the assessment fee waived?
- (6) Have any applications been made to the WACHS board for the fee to be waived?
- (7) What would be the cost to the State Government if it were to waive all fees relating to annual driver license health assessments?
- (8) Given this fee disproportionately impacts upon senior drivers living in regional and remote location without access to a private GP service, will the Minister commit to reviewing this arrangement?

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